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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hiroshi TANAKA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/574,453

Group Art Unit: 2624

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Examiner: Pham, Thierry L.

For: PRINT DESIGNATING METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND PRINTING
METHOD AND APPARATUSHonorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450Box AFSUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116andSTATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE
OF THE TELEPHONE INTERVIEWS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005, and further to the Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on August 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows, to place the application in condition for immediate allowance:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Statement of the Substance of the Telephonic Interviews begins on page 12 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.